



## Practical Resources for Managing Digital Preservation

---

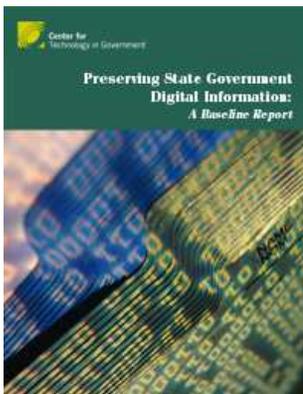


### **Building State Government Digital Preservation Partnerships: A Capability Assessment and Planning Toolkit**

August 2005

[http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/guides/digital\\_preservation\\_partnerships](http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/guides/digital_preservation_partnerships)

Decisions to invest in digital preservation projects must be grounded in a full understanding of the ability of those involved to identify and fill the gaps between current and required capability. This toolkit is designed for library, archives, records management, and information technology professionals to assess where capability for digital preservation exists and where it must be developed in order to achieve the goal of preserving significant at-risk government information. The toolkit will support agencies in their efforts to collectively determine if they have the capabilities necessary to succeed in digital preservation initiatives and to inform the development of strategies to build necessary, but missing, capabilities.



### **Preserving State Government Digital Information: A Baseline Report**

July 2006

[http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/reports/digital\\_preservation\\_baseline](http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/reports/digital_preservation_baseline)

Partnerships have emerged as the most viable strategy for securing the resources necessary for preserving state government digital information. Whether these partnerships span units within a single agency or multiple state and local governments and in some cases the federal government, their development requires knowledge of capabilities and priorities to be shared among potential partners. This report provides the baseline knowledge necessary to launch these critical partnership development efforts. It includes analysis of results across states and territories and presents several observations on the current digital preservation environment. The report is drawn from data collected by CTG through the *State Government Digital Information Preservation Survey* administered in early 2006.

### **State Government Digital Preservation Profiles**

July 2006

[http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/reports/digital\\_preservation\\_profiles](http://www.ctg.albany.edu/publications/reports/digital_preservation_profiles)

The state government digital preservation profiles are a Web-based resource that presents information collected from those state and territorial library, archives, and records management units that completed CTG's *State Government Digital Information Preservation Survey*. This information is being made available to support the efforts of states to learn about each other, to identify potential partners, and to initiate partnership development efforts. CTG administered the survey to all state and several territorial librarians, archivists, and records managers in early 2006.